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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION
AND REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed May 26, 2005 setting a three-month term for reply. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§1.136(a) and 1.17(a), it is respectfully requested that the period for reply be extended three months, i.e., to up to and including November 26, 2005. As November 26, 2005 fell on a Saturday, the deadline for response is therefore the following business day, Monday, November 28, 2005. Enclosed is a check that includes \$510.00 in payment of the fee therefore by a small entity. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additionally required fee, or to credit any overpayment in such fees, to Deposit

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